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APPLICATION NUMBER:

20-487 /S-003

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July 8, 1996

Ko Yu Lo, Ph.D.
Division of Antiviral Drug Products
Center for Drug Evaluation and Research
Attn: Document Control Room
Office of Drug Evaluation II
Food and Drug Administration
NRC HFD-530

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S516 Nicholson Lane
Kensington, MD 20895

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Re: NDA 20-487: VALTREX® (valacyclovir hydrochloride) Caplets for Herpes Zoster Virus Supplemental Application - Expedited Review Requested : CMC

Dear Dr. Lo:

Reference is made to a telephone conversation of 17 June 1996 between Mr. Leo Lucisano and Dr. Ko-Yu Lo in which Dr. Lo requested additional information to complete an Expedited Review of a Supplement to change the particle size specification for colloidal silicon dioxide (excipient) in VALTREX® Caplets: Enclosed are the following:



If you should require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me at (919) 483-5848. Upon approval of the supplement, the proposed particle size specification and testing instructions for Silicon Dioxide Colloidal will be adopted.

Sincerely,

Leo Lucisano Assistant Director Regulatory Affairs

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enclosure: 5 pages

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Food and Drug Administration Rockville MD 20857

Date APR 16 1996

NDA No. 20-487

. GLAXO WELLCOME INC. Five Moore Drive Research Triangle Park, N.C. 27709

Attention: Leo Lucisano

Assistant Director Regulatory Affairs

Dear Sir/Madam:

We acknowledge receipt of your supplemental application for the following:

Name of Drug: VALTREX(valacyclovir hydrochloride) Caplets for Herpes Zoster Virus

NDA Number: 20-487

Supplement Number: SCS-003

Date of Supplement: April 9,1996

Date of Receipt: April 11,1996

Unless we find the application not acceptable for filing, the filing date will be 60 days from the receipt date above.

All communications concerning this NDA should be addressed as follows:

Center for Drug Evaluation and Research Attention: Document Control, Room 128-30 5600 Fishers Lane Rockville, MD 20857

Supervisory Consumer Safety Officer Division of Anti-Infective Drug Products

Center for Drug Evaluation and Research

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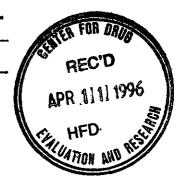
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April 9, 1996

David W. Feigal, Jr., M.D., M.P.H., Director Division of Antiviral Drug Products Attn: Document Control Room Food and Drug Administration Fourth Floor 9201 Corporate Boulevard, HFD-530 Rockville, MD 20850



Re: NDA 20-487; VALTREX® (valacyclovir hydrochloride) Caplets for Herpes Zoster Virus Supplemental Application - Expedited Review Requested: CMC

Dear Dr. Feigal:

Reference is made to a telephone conversation of 13 March 1996, between Mr. Joey Pollock of our firm and Dr. Chi Wan Chen of your Division, regarding a request for Expedited Review of a Supplement to change the particle size specification for colloidal silicon dioxide (excipient) in VALTREX Caplets. Attached please find our justification for this change.

Glaxo certifies that it did not and will not use in any capacity the services of any person debarred under Section 306(a) or (b) of the Generic Drug Enforcement Act of 1992 in connection with this application.

A field copy of this application has been sent to:

Food and Drug Administration 60 Eighth Street, N. E. Atlanta, GA 30309

If you should require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me at (919) 483-5848.

Sincerely,

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Leo Lucisano Assistant Director Regulatory Affairs

cc: Dr. Chi Wan Chen (desk copy)

Dr. Ko Yu Lo (desk copy)

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